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Re: Interstate Brick Company

Dear Tom:

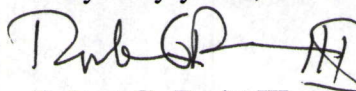
This letter is to confirm my voice mail message to you Thursday regarding the Interstate Brick small mine permit issued by the Division for clay bulk sample in the North Stansbury Range, Tooele County, UT. I recently became aware of a major title conflict with regard to the Quarry Anton Placer patented mining claim, the location of the bulk sample project.

It appears that, contrary to the Tooele County assessor's plat and a recorded notice of interest, title may actually vest in Lonestar Industries, rather than our optionor, Pyramid Land LLC. Minimal work has been conducted to date and all work is within existing disturbed areas.

This letter is to advise you that Interstate Brick stands by its reclamation obligation in regard to the area impacted, regardless of ownership. For now, Interstate Brick has ceased all operations until ownership is established, and whether the project will continue or be abandoned. We are negotiating with Lonestar for rights to their land, and hope to have the project underway in the near future. I will keep you posted on those developments.

If you have any questions, concerns, or different understanding regarding this proposal please don't hesitate to give me a call.

Very truly yours,



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